BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING

Administrative Committee Agenda Item Summary

AGENDA ITEM: 7.1 **DATE:** September 19, 2008

ACTION REQUESTED: Information Only: Tentative Board Meeting Dates and Locations for

2009

REQUESTED BY: LaFrancine Tate, President

Chairperson, Administrative Committee

BACKGROUND: February 19-20, 2009 North

 April
 16-17, 2009
 South

 June
 11-12, 2009
 North

 September
 17-18, 2009
 South

 November
 19-20, 2009
 North

NEXT STEP: Place on Board Agenda

FISCAL

IMPLICATIONS, IF ANY: None

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BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

AGENDA ITEM: 7.2 **DATE:** September 19, 2008

ACTION: Information Only: NCSBN Delegate Assembly Report

2008 Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN August 5-8, 2008

REQUESTED BY: Board of Registered Nursing

BACKGROUND:

Thank you for the supporting BRN's attendance to the NCSBN Annual Meeting. The opportunity to participate in the development and implementation of policy is invaluable as well as the networking opportunities with other states. The Board was very fortunate to also have in attendance Patricia Hunter, Executive Director, ANAC and Hedy Dumpel, Director of Policy, California Nurses Association. Their counsel on items on the agenda is most appreciative.

This year's annual meeting was also a celebration of NCSBN's 30th Anniversary. A book detailing the history of NCSBN was presented to those in attendance and is available in the Board's Office.

The following highlights the recommendations considered by the delegates during the business meeting:

- 1. Adopted the proposed APRN Model Rules and Regulations. The consensus paper that served as the background document will be presented during the Practice Committee Report.
- 2. The proposed revisions to the Education Model rules to increase minimum requirements for faculty of a VN/PN Program to a Masters Degree were adopted.
- 3. Adopted an associate membership fee of \$1500. British Columbia became the first associate member of NCSBN.
- 4. Voted in the Nebraska Advanced Practice Board as the newest member of NCSBN.
- 5. The following members were elected to the Board of Directors:
 - President Laura Rhodes, West Virginia, Area II
 - Vice President Lepaine McHenry, Arkansas, Area III
 - Treasurer Ruth Ann Terry, California, Area I

Director at Large (2 years)

- Randy Hudspeth, Idaho, Area I
- Kathy Thomas, Texas, Area III

Director at Large (1Year)

- Cathy Giessel, Alaska, Area I
- Greg Howard, Alabama, Area III
- 6. The delegates voted on one resolution to develop uniform core requirements for licensure and to report back on the progress at the next delegate assembly.

A copy of the program book which includes all committee reports is available in the Board Office. The next Delegate Assembly will be held August 10-14, 2009 in Philadelphia, PA.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to attend.

NEXT STEP: Reassess the Uniform Core Licensure Requirements for currency

and relevance in today's regulatory arena and report findings and

recommendations to the 2009 Delegate Assembly.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS,

IF ANY: None

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